



CAPCOG Broadband Roundtable | Agenda

9:30 a.m., Thursday, October 21, 2021

CAPCOG Lantana Room

6800 Burleson Road, Building 310, Suite 165

Austin, TX 78744

Serving Bastrop, Blanco, Burnet, Caldwell, Fayette, Hays, Lee, Llano, Travis, and Williamson counties

- 1. Welcome and Introductions**
- 2. What is Broadband?**
- 3. Legislative Session Recap**
 - **HB 5**
 - **State Broadband Office Update, Greg Conte**
 - **HB 3853**
 - **SB 507**
 - **HB 1505**
 - **HB 2667**
 - **SB 632**
 - **LCRA update, Clint Harp**
- 4. Broadband Mapping and Data - Why it's Critical!**
- 5. Current and Upcoming Federal Funding Opportunities**
 - **EDA**
 - **RDOF (current pending awards & second auction)**
 - **ReConnect (re-authorization plus new money)**
 - **State & Local Fiscal Recovery Funds**
 - **NTIA**
 - **Coronavirus Capital Projects Fund**
 - **Infrastructure Bill**
- 6. Current and Upcoming State Funding Opportunities**
 - **Texas infrastructure program**
- 7. Philanthropic Funding Opportunities**
 - **Texas Rural Funders and St. David's Foundation**
- 8. How to Use Funds Wisely**
 - **RFP**
- 9. What can your community do now?**
- 10. Roundtable Discussion**
- 11. Questions and Closing Remarks**